

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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Yoichiro KONDO, et al.

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Group Art Unit: 1791

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Examiner: James P. Mackey

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For: MOLD AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING CORE

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 20, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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